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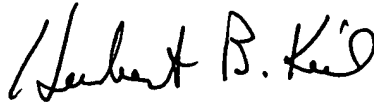
It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider in the application Claims 1 to 3, 5 to 8, 11 to 13 and 15 to 21 in the wording set forth in Appendix I of this paper. The claims differ from claims as previously before the Examiner in that Claim 4 has been canceled and Claim 17 has been amended to correct a typographical error.

The Examiner indicated in the final action that Claims 1 to 3, 5 to 8, 11 to 13, 15, 16 and 18 to 21 were allowable and that Claim 17 would be allowable if amended to correct the typographical error. The amendment herewith presented therefore places the application in condition for allowance. Early action by the Examiner would be greatly appreciated by applicants.

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Encl.: THE LISTING OF CLAIMS (Appendix I)

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